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For: METHOD FOR SELECTING ESCHERICHIA COLI STRAIN WHICH HIGHLY
EXPRESSES EXOGENOUS GENES, ESCHERICHIA COLI MUTANT STRAINS
SELECTED BY THIS METHOD AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING ENZYMES
AND COMPOUNDS USING THE SAME

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